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B.A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION MARCH 2017

SEMESTER - 2: SOCIOLOGY

COURSE: 15U2CRSOC2 -: BASIC CONCEPTS IN SOCIOLOGY

(Common for Regular 2016 admission and Supplementary 2015 admission)

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A

(Answer **all** questions of the following in one word or sentence. Each question carries 1 mark.)

1. Sumner divided institution into two as ----- & -----
2. A grouping of clans which are related by traditions of common descent.
3. Who defined 'Society as web of social relationship'?
4. The family which consisted of adult members, among whom there exists sex relationship.
5. The term cultural Lag was coined by-----
6. Define the term ascribed status.
7. Define the term Social Segregation.
8. Who propounded these concepts, manifest and latent function?
9. Who is the exponent of the classification of groups into Primary groups and secondary groups?
10. M. K. Gandhi is an example of which type of authority

(1 x 10 = 10)

PART B

(Answer **any eight** of the following questions in two or three sentences. Each question carries 2 marks.)

11. Explain the importance of primary group.
12. Explain the types of groups.
13. Explain the different types of Socialization.
14. Explain 'Culture as a Social Blueprint'.
15. Differentiate between latent and manifest function.
16. What are different the types of deviance?
17. Status and role are structural requirement of society- explain it.
18. Explain estate as social stratifying system in society.
19. Explain the fields which we can see inequalities in society.
20. Explain the different types of community.

(2 x 8 = 16)

PART C

(Answer **any five** of the following in about 100 words each.
Each question carries 5 marks.)

21. Distinguish between association and community.
22. Explain functional importance of values in society.
23. 'Man becomes man only among man'- Comment on this statement.
24. Briefly explain the two factors influencing the personality of the individual.
25. What are the different types of family?
26. What are the agencies of social control?
27. Differentiate between caste and class.

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

(Answer **any two** of the following in about 300 words.
Each question carries 12 marks)

28. Explain the classifications of institution and elaborate its functions modern society.
29. Define organization. Explain the characteristics with its importance in present day world.
30. Define Social Stratification and explain the functions of social stratification.
31. Define Social Conformity. Explain the causes of social conformity.

(12 x 2 = 24)
